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Patent Application

Transmittal

Attorney Docket No. 7056.024

First Inventor or Application Identifier:

Richard Stanley Hajdukiewicz

Title: System and Method for Providing a Fuel

Purchase Incentive with the Sale of a Vehicle

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[ X ] STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C § 122 (b)(2)(B)(i)-(iii) AND 37 CFR § 1.21  
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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 6000 concerning utility patent application contents.

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Washington, DC 20231

1. [ X ] \*Fee Transmittal Form(e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

2. [ X ] Specification [Total pages 27]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)

- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

3. [ X ] Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 10]

4. Oath or Declaration

- a. [ ] Newly executed (original or copy)
- b. [ ] Copy from a prior application  
(37 C.F.R. §1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with box 16 completed)

i. [ ] DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)

Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §§1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

5. [ ] Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

6. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

- a. [ ] Computer Readable Copy
- b. [ ] Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
- c. [ ] Statement verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7 [ ] Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents)

8 [ ] 37 CFR §3.73(b) Statement [ ] POA  
(When there is an assignee)

9 [ ] English Translation Document (if applicable)

10 [ ] Information Disclosure [ ] copies of IDS  
Statement citations

11 [ ] Preliminary Amendment

12 [ X ] Return Receipt Postcard  
(Should be specifically itemized)

13 [ ] **SMALL ENTITY STATUS**

14 [ ] Certified copies of priority document(s)  
(If foreign priority is claimed)

16. If a **CONTINUING APPLICATION**, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment:

[ ] Continuation [ ] Divisional [ ] Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior Application No

Prior application information:

Examiner

Group / Art Unit:

JC978 U.S. PTO  
09/819338

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JC984 U.S. PTO

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**Request and Certification**

**Under**

**35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

First Named Inventor: **Richard S. Hajdukiewicz**


Title:

**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING A  
FUEL PURCHASE INCENTIVE WITH THE  
SALE OF A VEHICLE**

Docket No. : **7056.024**

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not** be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

Date: March 28, 2001

  
Signature

Barry J. Schindler  
Typed or printed name

This request must be signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) and submitted with the application **upon filing**.

Applicant may rescind this nonpublication request at any time. If applicant rescinds a request that an application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b), the application will be scheduled for publication at eighteen months from the earliest claimed filing date for which a benefit is claimed.

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## Complete if Known

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### FEE CALCULATION

#### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

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101 710 201 355 Utility filing fee **\$710.00**

106 310 206 160 Design filing fee \_\_\_\_\_

107 480 207 245 Plant filing fee \_\_\_\_\_

108 760 208 355 Reissue filing fee \_\_\_\_\_

114 150 214 75 Provisional filing fee \_\_\_\_\_

SUBTOTAL (1) **\$710.00**

#### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Extra claims Fee from below Fee Paid  
Total Claims 79 -20\*\* = 59 x 18 = 1062

Independent Claims 26 -3\*\* = 23 x 80 = 1840

Multiple Dependent \_\_\_\_\_ = 2902

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106 18 203 9 Claims over 20

102 80 202 40 Independent Claims in Excess of 3

104 270 204 135 Multiple Dependent Claims

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#### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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105 130 205 65 Surcharge-late filing fee or oath

127 50 227 25 Surcharge-late prov

provisional filing fee or cover sheet

139 130 139 130 Non-English specification

147 2,520 147 2,520 For filing a request for reexamination

112 920\* 112 920\* Requesting publication of SIR

prior to Examiner action

113 1,840\* 113 1,840\* Requesting publication of SIR

after to Examiner action

115 110 215 55 Extension for reply within first month

116 380 216 195 Extension for reply within second month

117 890 217 445 Extension for reply within third month

118 1,390 218 695 Extension for reply within fourth month

128 1,850 228 945 Extension for reply within fifth month

119 310 219 155 Notice of Appeal

120 300 220 155 Filing a brief in support of an appeal

121 260 221 135 Request for oral hearing

138 1,510 138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceedings

140 110 240 55 Petition to revive-unavoidable

141 1,210 241 620 Petition to revive-unintentional

142 1,210 242 620 Utility issue fee (or reissue)

143 430 243 220 Design issue fee

144 580 244 300 Plant issue fee

122 130 122 130 Petition to the Commissioner

123 50 123 50 Petitions related to provisional applications

126 240 126 240 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt

581 40 581 50 Recording each patent assignment per

Property (times number of properties)

146 760 246 380 Filing a submission after final rejection

(37 CFR 1.129(a))

149 760 249 380 For each additional invention to be

examined (37 CFR 1.129(a))

179 710 279 355 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)

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- (4) Patent Application (comprised of 37 pages, 12 pages of specification, 14 pages of claims, and 1 abstract and 10 pages of figures);
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